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In re Patent Application of:
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For: SCRIBE METHOD AND SCRIBE
APPARATUS FOR BRITTLE MATERIAL
SUBSTRATE

Examiner: Clark F. Dexter

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated August 25, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.